

DEBATE SATURDAY

BEDE AND SEIDEL TO ARGUE SOCIALISM IN AFTERNOON.

CHINESE TO LECTURE

Yesterday's Program With Maud Ballington Booth, the Albers and J. B. Ratto Was Good.

Tonight.

8:00—Concert, including the sketch, "The Crisis," a story of the civil war, by Alber's Octet.

Saturday.

Morning:
9:00—Grand finals, tennis tournament.

Afternoon:
2:00—Prelude, Maryville concert band.

2:30—Debate, "Is Socialism Desirable for the United States," Hon. J. Adam Bede and Hon. Emil Seidel.

Evening:
8:00—Prelude, Maryville Concert band.

8:30—Address, Ng Poon Chew, Chinese editor, diplomat, lecturer.

J. Adam Bede, Emil Seidel and Ng Poon Chew are the three men who make up tomorrow's program at Chautauqua. The management expects it to be as strong a program as any of the session.

Bede and Seidel will be on the afternoon program to debate the question of socialism. They have argued this question before audiences for several years and have made a reputation for it. Each is an ardent believer in his side of the subject, is well posted, and Mr. Bede formerly was a member of congress from Minnesota and Mr. Seidel recently was mayor of Milwaukee, elected on the Socialist ticket.

The debates are kept alive and full of interest because each man is always looking up and introducing some new point which the other must meet.

Ng Poon Chew, who will give the first of two lectures Saturday night, is prominent as one of the leading Chinese in this country. Coming from the high class Chinese, he was trained for the Taoist priesthood and given the best of Oriental education. Then he came to the United States, was converted to Christianity, went to school and studied for the ministry, but gave that up for journalism. He is editor of the largest Chinese paper in the country, interested in public works and closely associated with many government officials and prominent men.

Ng Poon Chew is lecturing to some of the largest Chautauquas in the United States this summer, and he has been secured for two addresses here.

THE "LITTLE MOTHER'S" TALK.

Maud Ballington Booth Tells of the Tragedies of Prison Life as She Has Seen Them.

No one who heard Maud Ballington Booth tell about "her boys" at Chautauqua yesterday could fail to understand why thousands of men in the prisons over the country call her "Little Mother." A beautiful woman, full of earnestness and zeal, whose work reflects its goodness in her face, she related to her audience some of the sorrows and tragedies of life she has found in her long work among the society's outcasts.

Mrs. Booth, at the beginning of her address, said she would not take time on such a hot afternoon to tell about her methods of work, but would simply tell the stories of some of the men she had met to show how they got into prison and how they were affected by such punishment. People who have been brought up in good homes, educated and cared for cannot understand why the other half break laws, cannot understand they are born with the curse of poverty, evil companionship and no advantages.

Mrs. Booth read a letter written to her last Easter by a young boy in Sing Sing prison. Except for three months, he had been behind bars since he was 13 years old. He had lost faith in any religion, but went to Sunday services because he liked to sing, he loved the beautiful and he said:

"I do not claim to be any good; I only claim to be lonesome."

She told of a convict in a Texas prison, a man who, when a boy of 13, had killed his drunken father because he could not stand it to see his mother and sisters ill treated. He had been given a 110-year sentence, and when Mrs. Booth secured his pardon, realizing that he was still a child in mind, she took him to her home for ex-prisoners in Chicago, where he had to be cared for.

Ordinarily it is not her work to secure pardons for prisoners, she said. Her purpose is threefold: First, to go into the prisons and work with the men, making them realize they must work out their own salvation; second, to help the prisoners return to a life among society, and, third, to help the wives, mothers and children of the prisoners.

Her stories of this last phase of her work were most pathetic, and one especially so. It was of a 3-year-old child who had been born in prison. He was taken by her to one of the homes for such children, and the impress of the prison was so strong upon this baby that when he was out of doors he would run as far as he could to see if he was really free. The moment he entered the house again he showed that he felt as if he were once more restrained.

With many other such stories, she showed how grave a thing it was for society to judge a man and take away his freedom, his hopes for the future and probably ruin his family.

TO GIVE "THE CRISIS" TONIGHT.

Alber's Octet in Civil War Story—Their Concerts Much Applaud ed by Audiences.

The concerts of Alber's Octet have won much applause from the audiences at Chautauqua here. Their work yesterday strengthened an already good program.

Tonight the entire program will be given by these singers and entertainers, several of them university students known to Maryville persons. Their program this evening will consist of an enactment in song and story of "The Crisis," a tale of the civil war.

"The Crisis" commemorates the anniversary of the battle of Gettysburg, and many of the old southern melodies and northern airs and "before the war" stories make up part of the program.

AMATEUR NIGHT TONIGHT.

Annual Performance of Local Celebrities in the Chautauqua Tent After Regular Program.

Tonight after the regular program of the evening the local aspirants of stage fame will give their annual performance in the chautauqua tent.

There will be quartets, solos, choruses, instrumental numbers, jokes and anything else that anybody thinks he can "get over" the "foots."

These amateur performances have always made fun for everybody who took part or attended and have generally brought rain. The management is hoping it will do the same tonight.

Chautauqua Notes.

Mrs. J. W. Houghtaling of Bolckow is a guest of her granddaughter, Miss Beulah McCoppin, at "Haven of Rest" camp.

A harp and guitar musicale was given last night at the Hum Drum club tent after the program in the big tent, which delighted all the neighboring campers.

Kenwood camp is entertaining a guest for the remainder of the week, who is Miss Nelle Fisher, living northwest of the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Epperson, living south of the city are guests at the camp of Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Kemp for the remainder of the week.

Miss Donna Nelle Lamar, Miss Cora Carver and Miss Liva Beaver of Elmo are guests of Kenwick camp, which has Miss Hazel Wallace for hostess.

The Camp Ford crowd entertained a number of guests yesterday which included Mrs. W. T. Long of Grant City, Mrs. Frank Hall, Miss Edna Wilson, Miss Elva Heflin and Miss Edna Moore of Parnell.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Cast were entertained yesterday for the day at "White Meadows," the camp of Lewis White and family.

Mrs. E. L. Ferritor and daughter were entertained yesterday at "Bow Knot Inn" camp, the guests of Mrs. Ferritor's niece, Miss Mabel Merrigan of Clyde.

Returned to St. Joseph.

Miss Grace McNulty of St. Joseph, who has been visiting Miss LaRue Kemp, Miss Alice Orcutt and other friends, returned to her home yesterday.

Andersons Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Anderson have returned from a visit at Chugwater, Wyo., with their son, John Anderson, and family.

WATER EACH NOON

WILL TRY TO INCREASE SERVICE BEGINNING TOMORROW.

WELL PUMP IS STARTED

Car of Materials For Sandpoint System is Here—Mains Yet to Come From Chicago.

Beginning tomorrow an effort will be made to turn on the city water three times a day. In addition to the morning and evening service now given it will be on from 11 o'clock in the morning until 1 o'clock in the afternoon.

The board of public works now thinks that there is no danger of the water giving out entirely, and believes that the increased service can be kept up.

The pumping of the well did not begin last night, as was expected, for the pipe line to the reservoir could not be laid as fast as was thought. The work was completed this morning and the pump is at work. This, together with the fact that the river supply gains each night what has been pumped out during the day, makes the situation better than it has been.

Yesterday afternoon most of the material for the sandpoint system arrived from Kansas City. The rest of it is being shipped from Chicago and St. Louis.

The 6-inch main is not in the shipment that arrived yesterday, but should be here in a day or two. With the equipment that is here, however, a few of the sandpoints could be put down and pumped if necessary without the use of the main.

The digging of the trenches for the main is far enough along to permit the laying of the pipe as soon as it arrives.

INJURED MEN IMPROVED.

Keller Regained Consciousness This Morning—Groves at Ensworth Hospital.

Francis Keller of Thomas, Okla., who was injured Wednesday night in an auto accident at Maitland, regained consciousness about 5 o'clock this morning and his physicians have some hope of his recovery. Keller's head was crushed and he is in a very critical condition.

Robert Groves, who was also injured in the accident, underwent an operation for the amputation of his foot at Ensworth hospital in St. Joseph Thursday morning, and reports of his condition today were favorable.

FIRE DESTROYS FRUIT TREES.

Sparks From Engine Start Bad Blaze in Frank Pasture.

Yesterday afternoon sparks from a Wabash engine set fire to the dry grass along the right of way north of the W. C. Frank pasture, and nothing but the quick work of a few men averted a bad fire, which would have destroyed several houses.

The blaze was noticed by Dr. D. C. Wilson, who was at home during the afternoon. He summoned Arch Frank and several other men and they fought the blaze for a couple of hours before it was quelled. The fire spread through the Frank and Wilson pastures. About twenty-four pear and apple trees in the W. C. Frank pasture, which were loaded with fruit, were scorched and ruined.

The Clearmont Chautauqua.

The Clearmont Chautauqua will open tomorrow, and the program for the first day will consist of a musical program by the Elaine Duncan company, and a lecture by Prof. Charles B. Rayhill, both afternoon and evening. The Chautauqua will close there next Thursday.

Is Ferdinand Townsend's Birthday.

Today is the twenty-eighth birthday of Ferdinand M. Townsend. Mr. Townsend was born in Maryville, and except for a few years in Denver, Col., he has lived here all his life. For several years he has been in the wholesale and retail grocery business with his father, E. L. Townsend.

Illinois Visitors Leave.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Heaton and little granddaughter, Eleanor Wareantz of Sciota, Ill., who have been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Heaton, left yesterday for Horton, Kan., to visit.

Visiting in Maryville.

Miss Helen Ardery of St. Joseph arrived in Maryville yesterday to visit Miss Anna Bainum and Miss Allie Jean Fraser.

LIBAU BOMBARDED

GERMAN FLEET SHELLS RUSSIAN SEAPORT FOR TWO HOURS.

MAY ASK AN ARMISTICE

English and French Warships and Montenegrin Mountain Batteries Damage Fortifications.

(By American Press.)

London, August 21.—The German fleet has bombarded Libau, Russia, and wrecked the harbor works at Haugo.

The captain of a Swedish steamer which has just arrived from Libau tells of the bombardment of the Russian seaport by the German fleet. Fifteen women who were seated on a pile of lumber were killed by the explosion of a single shell. The bombardment continued for two hours and many buildings and bridges were destroyed.

London, August 21.—A dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph from Cetinje says that the English fleet, supported by the French warships and in conjunction with the Montenegrin batteries on Mount Lovchen, bombarded the Austrian fortifications at Cattaro Wednesday, greatly damaging them.

The correspondent adds that in one engagement between the Montenegrins and Austrians in Bosnia the latter sacrificed 200 men. The British information bureau has not received these reports.

Rome, August 21.—The cardinals may ask the powers for an armistice during the conclave, resultant upon the death of Pope Pius X.

TOWNSEND BUYS MERGEN LOT.

Property in Business District Changed Hands Yesterday—May Put Up Modern Building.

E. L. Townsend has just purchased from Peter Mergen the building and lot at the corner of Fifth and Main streets. The lot, which is just south of the postoffice, is 44x132 feet, and the purchase price for it and the small building on it was \$6,000.

Mr. Townsend said today that he has no plans for the immediate improvement of the property, but that it is his intention to erect some time in the future a modern business building there.

COTTON FOR FOOD.

Oil is Nutritive and is Already Used by Europeans in Large Quantities.

Grain crops and cattle crops are our main sources of food, and cotton crops for clothing, but there is also a great potential food supply in the cotton crop if we but understood how to unlock it.

European nations are finding out very rapidly how to make food of our cottonseed oil. France, Italy and other southern nations have always considered oil an essential article of diet. Olive oil is their native supply, but they have not learned the economy of exporting their olive oil at high prices and importing in its place American cottonseed oil, which is lower in price but not lower in nutritive value.

Germany, the Netherlands, and other northern countries, like ourselves, are not fond of eating pure oil, but need more butter than the cattle can produce, so they resort to artificial butter and have developed it to a high degree of palatability. The surprising statement is made that the principal countries of northern Europe are now making artificial butter ("margarin" they call it) to the extent of 580,000 tons per year, and the significant part of the story is that in 1913 they used as an ingredient over 300,000 barrels of cottonseed oil from America, and are planning for an increase in 1914.

By the recently discovered process of solidifying liquid oils, cottonseed oil is now beginning to compete with hard coconut oil, which sells at even higher prices than olive oil, and is becoming very popular as an ingredient of artificial butter.

Cottonseed oil has exactly ten times the nutritive value of beefsteak and costs only half as much. As the United States makes each year over three million barrels of refined cottonseed oil, it is worth while to study the various methods of making it acceptable as food.

Returns From Outing.

Miss Nelle Conrad arrived home yesterday noon from Reserve, Wis., where she was the guest of a party of friends at the Wismo Angling club.

Business Visit in Maryville.

George Holbrook of Clearmont spent the day yesterday in this city looking after business matters.

PORTER IS NOT DEAD.

Negro is in Moberly Hospital Recovering From Attack by Bandman Here Wednesday Night.

The porter on Wabash train No. 14, who was attacked by one of the members of Delano's band here Wednesday night is not dead. All day yesterday rumors said that he had died from the severe clubbing given him by his assailant.

At noon today Otho Robey, Wabash agent, said that the negro was in a hospital in Moberly and was recovering.

Mr. Robey also said that the brakeman whose hand was cut in the fight did not return on train No. 1 this morning, but he does not know that anything serious has developed from his injuries.

CRESTON'S WATER SUPPLY.

Iowa Town Has Three Months' Storage and Furnishes Other Towns With Water.

Creston, Ia., has been using more than 1,000,000 gallons of water a day all summer long, is furnishing water to other towns and to farmers and has enough left to last three months.

The city gets its supply from a large reservoir made by damming a gully in the hills so that a lake has been formed. The railroad engines ordinarily are supplied with more water there than is used for the city of Maryville, and because of the scarcity of water in other towns have been using more this summer.

The daily amount of water used in Creston is three times as much as is needed here.

INVITE YOUR FRIENDS HERE.

Commercial Club Has Ready to Distribute Invitations to the Home-Coming in October.

The Commercial club wants to make Maryville's home-coming a real one, not a little affair for the town people, but an event to which the former residents will return.

In order to do this and to let the people away from here know of it, the club has had printed invitations for the people of the town to send out. These invitations are neatly printed on cards and inclosed in envelopes. They were taken around to the stores and banks this morning, from which they may be obtained.

The Commercial club wants the people of Maryville to get these invitations and send them out to friends and former residents.

LETTER FROM PROF. NULL.

Son of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Null of This City Writes Description of Idaho.

Prof. Wilbur F. Null, a son of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Null of this city, who was formerly a teacher in Missouri Wesleyan college at Cameron, is now principal of the Idaho Industrial institute at Weiser, Idaho. He just recently went to Idaho, and in a letter to his parents has given some interesting description of conditions as he found them.

A part of the letter is as follows:

The trees of this country are mostly what have been set out and are not very different from the ones growing in Missouri. A good many poplars can be seen as well as maples, water elms and others, and they are thrifty and of good size.

The fruit is varied, apples and prunes seem to be the favorite for commercial purposes. Prunes will be ready for packing about the 25th. Packing begins when the fruit is about ripe and affords a great deal of employment for girls who do most of the packing. The returns from prune orchards are large, in some cases being about \$500 per acre.

However, there is different stories about these things. One man said recently that he destroyed his prune orchard because it didn't pay. I will tell you an apple story as it was told to me. A man offered his place of 28 acres for sale a few years ago at \$25,000, it being all in orchard and all irrigated. He could not find a buyer and so kept the place until the apple crop was ripe and sold it on the trees for \$25,000, the same as he had offered to sell for.

It will be a great many years before the country is all developed, and in fact a great lot of it never will be developed.

Threshing has been in progress here for a few days, and the operation is just what you are used to, except that the grain is stacked and left lying any place convenient till they can get time to haul it either to market or to the bin. One crew put through 1,750 bushels of barley yesterday.

Prices for products in the grain line are not so high here as farther east. Live stock brings about the same here as in Missouri.

PLAN AUDITORIUM

CHAUTAUQUA DIRECTORS FAVOR PERMANENT BUILDINGS.

A FIXED DATE IS SET

Future Sessions Will Always Begin on Second Saturday in August—Three Directors Elected.

The whole spirit of the Chautauqua stockholders' meeting yesterday was for a still stronger and more permanently founded Chautauqua. Two proposals were made toward this end, one that a sum be raised for the erection of permanent buildings, and the other that a fixed time for the Chautauqua be set.

The proposals that a movement be started to build an auditorium and a women's rest room was given enthusiastic discussion by all the members present. Judge Ellison suggested a plan for raising the money.

He said that the Chautauqua is primarily a thing for the country people of the community and that they are the people who are making it go. Before anything else is done, then, he urged that clean, comfortable and well built rest rooms be provided for the women who attend Chautauqua, and that it be done before next summer. He said they not only deserved them, but it would tend to increase the attendance and number of campers.

But he also said he thought there was no reason why an auditorium could not be built, too. It would mean a saving of at least \$400 a year, the expense of putting up a tent, and with the convenience and safety it afforded would draw a larger attendance.

With the Chautauqua such an influence for good in the community, Mr. Ellison said he thought there surely ought to be 100 men in Polk township alone who could afford and would be willing to give \$100 to such a fund. He, himself, offered to give \$200 to start the fund, and offered his services and to pay all his own expenses in going over the township to help raise this money.

The idea that such buildings would do more than anything else to make the Chautauqua permanent and a success was agreed on and endorsed by all. A motion was passed that the president, Judge Ellison, appoint a committee to investigate the matter and formulate a plan for raising the money necessary to make the improvements.

P. O. Landon said that one of the banks of the city two years ago offered to give \$2,500 toward such a purpose if \$7,500 could be raised elsewhere, but nothing was done about it.

The stockholders also voted to give the Chautauqua a fixed date, so that it will come at the same time each year, allowing the people to make their plans for the summer ahead of time. The time set for the beginning of each year's session is the second Saturday in August. This will make the opening day come not earlier than the eighth nor later than the fourteenth of the month.

The new members of the board of directors elected are Dean George H. Colbert, P. O. Landon and Fred Miller, the first to succeed Ed Wolfers, Jr., of Hopkins and the last two to succeed themselves.

The meeting expressed a vote of thanks to Fred Miller for his services in hauling free the water from his well to the grounds.

BLUE RIBBON WINNERS.

Horses Owned by Carver of Gailford Win Fair Prizes.

E. E. Carver of Gailford carried off two prizes with his horses entered at the Smithville county fair this week. Rex Sparkle, a 3-year-old saddle stallion won second in the 3-year-and-over class, and Rex Carver, a 2-year-old, won first in the 2-year class.

Announce Birth of Daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Jones, living southwest of the city, announce the birth of a daughter yesterday morning.

Bolckow Guest Here.

Miss Irene Dodds of Bolckow is visiting in Maryville, the guest of Miss Nelle Hudson.

P. L. Pence of Clearmont was in Maryville today looking after some business matters.

THE WEATHER

Generally fair tonight and Saturday; cooler tonight.

The Democrat-Forum

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Who
Wins?

Water Plant for the Junction.

The Burlington Junction Post is agitating a water plant for Burlington Junction. In this week's issue Editor Mendonhall says: "If there is one thing Burlington Junction needs just a little bit more than anything else it is a system of water works. Our little city is woefully lacking in this respect, and what is worse, there is no concentrated effort on the part of our people to make this very much needed improvement."

At Wilson Infirmary.

M. D. Crabbe of Granddison, S. D., returned to his home yesterday, after a month spent in Maryville taking eye treatment at the infirmary of Dr. D. C. Wilson.

Mrs. Sarah Miller of Carlton, Neb., arrived in Maryville this morning to take treatment at the Wilson infirmary for sciatic rheumatism.—Adv.

Guest at Uncle Home.

Miss Marie Holbrook of Graham arrived in Maryville yesterday to visit Mr. and Mrs. William Gump and family and attend the Chautauques for the remainder of the week.

Bernard Was Injured.

Leslie Whitaker of Edward was injured this morning when he was thrown from the horse he was riding and received a broken arm.

Miss Garret Home.

Miss Kathleen Murat of Yarkie, who has been the guest of Miss Mildred Robinson for the past week, will leave for her home in the morning.

Home From Eastern Trip.

C. W. Yehle returned this morning from an eastern trip, during which he visited the wholesale markets to buy fall stock for the Alderman-Yehle Dry Goods company.

29th
of Aug.

DO YOU KNOW

That The Best
Flour in Town is

Bulte's Best

Try it for Your
Next Sack

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NO INTEREST—NO TAXES.
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Who
Wins?

SIR JOHN FRENCH.

English Field Marshal
N. W. Assisting French
And Belgian Troops.



Photo by American Press Association.

AUSTRIANS TAKE TOWN IN POLAND

Capture Miechow After Stiff
Fight With Cossacks.

London, Aug. 21.—A dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph company from Cracow says that Austrian troops have occupied the town of Miechow, Russian Poland, after a stiff fight with Cossacks.

The Austrians surprised a detachment of 1,000 Cossacks while they slept and succeeded in killing or wounding 400 of them. The Austrian casualties are given as 140.

QUEEN WILHELMINA.

Ruler of Holland, Who
Mobilizes Her Army to
Resist an Invasion.



Photo by American Press Association.

WOMEN OWE \$400

CLUBS STILL HAVE THAT MUCH
TO PAY REST ROOM DEBT.

NO FEE IS CHARGED

Federation Makes Statement Correct-
ing Erroneous Impressions—Asks
For Many Exhibits at Fair.

Since the rest rooms have been completed and opened some erroneous impressions about them have begun to spread over the county. One of these is that there is very little more expense connected with them, and another is that a fee is charged those who use them. To correct these impressions the following statement is made by the club women of Maryville:

"In order that the public may clearly understand the expenditures and liabilities connected with the rest rooms the City Federation of Women's Clubs wishes to make this statement. 'The Federation has obligated itself for the following amount to furnish and support the rest rooms for the ensuing year: Furniture, \$207.05; rugs, bedding and towels, \$48; toilet supplies, \$8.90; matron's salary, \$300. Total, \$563.95.

"Of this amount the Federation owes a little more than \$400. Many persons have the impression that all the furniture for the rooms was donated. This is a mistake. While our friends gave us several donations, for example, the lights, clock, water cooler, mirror and one rocker, the greater amount of the furnishings was bought by the Federation and is still to be paid for.

"Right here we wish to correct an impression that has gone abroad that an admission is charged to the rest rooms. The rooms are absolutely free and the running expenses are guaranteed by the City Federation of Women's clubs. This is why the Federation has undertaken to conduct the floral hall exhibits and restaurant at the county fair.

"The Federation regrets that it cannot offer larger prizes for the exhibits, but it asks the public to remember that the fair is now in its infancy and has not the amount of money at its command that it will have another year. The Federation calls upon the women of Nodaway county to be loyal. Bring in your exhibits, even though the prize offered be small. Remember you are not working to fill your pockets; you are working to help the rest rooms—your rest rooms.

"So far the brunt of this work has been done by the women of Maryville. Now is the opportunity for all the women of Nodaway county to co-operate. Bring in your exhibits, boost for the fair, do all in your power to make it a success, and next year, with the furniture all paid for and more money to command, the Federation, if it should again have charge of floral hall, will guarantee bigger and better prizes in every department.

"THE FEDERATION."

FRECKLES

Don't Hide Them With a Veil; Remove
Them With the Othine Pre-
scription.

This prescription for the removal of freckles was written by a prominent physician and is usually so successful in removing freckles and giving a clear, beautiful complexion that it is sold by druggists under guarantee to refund the money if it fails.

Don't hide your freckles under a veil; get an ounce of othine and remove them. Even the first few applications should show a wonderful improvement, some of the lighter freckles vanishing entirely.

Be sure to ask the druggist for the double strength othine; it is this that is sold on the money-back guarantee.

Guests From Skidmore.

Mrs. Harry Hoblitzell and children of Skidmore are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Robey.

29th
of Aug.

PERFECT FITTING GLASSES

are assured you if you come to
Crane's. Our expert optician will
test your eyes free and fit them
with the proper glasses. Prices
reasonable. H. T. CRANE

Who
Wins?

Look Up! Look Up!

Look away up! That will be the cry all over the grounds of the Maryville fair on all of the days this year, as the fair association has especially engaged one of the aviators of the Moisant International company to present some of their most wonderful stunts on the Moisant company's fastest machine.

In securing the Moisant aviators for the Nodaway county fair it seems the committee has executed a master stroke of business.

The Moisant company are the largest operators in the lines of practical air navigation, have a factory at Hemstead Plains, L. I., where monoplanes are turned out at the rate of five a week and shipped to all parts of the world to war departments of different countries. Adjoining the factory is the Moisant school of aviation, where an immense flying field, hangars, tutors and everything complete to educate licensed pilots of the air.

Some of the world's greatest aviators have been created at this school, such flyers as St. Croix Johnston, Senor Alvarez, Miss Matilda Moisant, Harriet Quimby and many others equally as famous are graduates of this institution. There is never a flyer of the Moisant aggregation but what must prove his ability before he goes in the air.

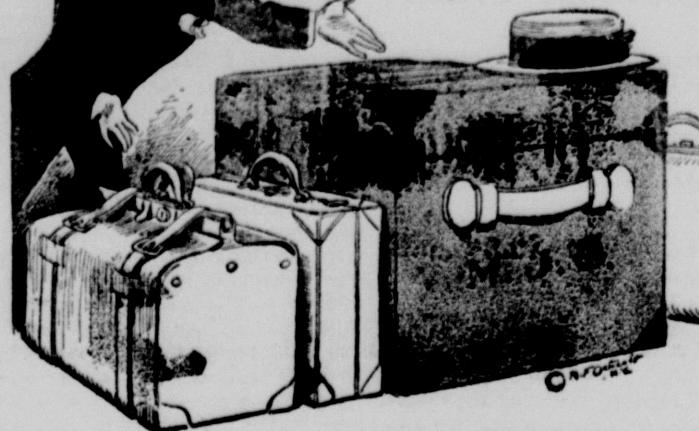
At the Maryville fair grounds this year will be seen no less a distinguished aviator than J. Hector Worden, who is a graduate licensed pilot of the Aeronautical clubs of France, Great Britain and the United States. This man is considered one of the most daring aviators on the Moisant staff and will present a series of unparalleled displays, spectacular and sensational stunts on each of the days of the Maryville fair. The start and finish will be made from the infield of the race track, directly in front of the grand stand, and these flights will be presented from 10 o'clock in the morning until 6 in the evening, with an entire change of program on each of the days. This great attraction, added to the other stellar features of the fair races, and the big premiums for exhibits, free acts and good shows, this should be the banner year for the Nodaway county fair.—Adv.

Returns From Maitland.

Miss Nelle Campbell returned last night from Maitland, where she had been the guest of her uncle, Robert Connor, and family for a few days.

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of Aug.

GET YOUR TRUNK
FROM US—
FILL IT AT OUR STORE



THIS IS TO MAKE YOU THINK OF TRUNKS.
WHEN YOU DO THINK OF TRUNKS OR GRIPS.
THINK OF OUR STORE. WE'VE GOT THEM.

OUR STORE IS ALSO THE PLACE TO FILL
YOUR TRUNKS AND SUIT CASES.

IF YOU ARE IN A HURRY. REMEMBER. WE
HAVE THE THINGS YOU WANT: SHIRTS. COL-
LARS. TIES. HOSE. UNDERWEAR. HATS. ETC.. IN
THE LATEST STYLES AND PATTERNS.

OUR PRICES ALWAYS LOW.

Berney Harris

Maryville's Only One Priced Clothier

Nodaway county was represented on following: L. A. Pistole, William Coe-
the St. Joseph market yesterday by the lin and M. Asbell.

CHAUTAUQUA

TONIGHT

8:00—"The Crisis" pictures in song and story of the Civil War
by Alber's Octette, a company of nine people.

TOMORROW

2:00—Prelude by Band.
2:30—Debate on Socialism by Adam Bede, Republican and
Anton Seidel, former mayor of Milwaukee, elected on
Socialist Ticket.
8:00—Prelude by Band.
8:30—Lecture, Dr. Ng Poon Chew, noted Chinese Diplomat.

SUNDAY--LAST DAY

Union Sunday School and Church services in morning.
Free to all.
2:00—Prelude by Band and H. B. Schuler Tenor Soloist.
2:30—Lecture, Dr. Ng Poon Chew.
8:00—Prelude.
8:30—Address by Judge Selden P. Spencer of St. Louis.

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DEBATE SATURDAY

BEDE AND SEIDEL TO ARGUE SOCIALISM IN AFTERNOON.

CHINESE TO LECTURE

Yesterday's Program With Maud Ballington Booth, the Albers and J. B. Ratto Was Good.

Tonight.

8:00—Concert, including the sketch, "The Crisis," a story of the civil war, by Alber's Octet.

Saturday.

Morning:
9:00—Grand finals, tennis tournament.

Afternoon:
2:00—Prelude, Maryville concert band.

2:30—Debate, "Is Socialism Desirable for the United States," Hon. J. Adam Bede and Hon. Emil Seidel.

Evening:
8:00—Prelude, Maryville Concert band.

8:30—Address, Ng Poon Chew, Chinese editor, diplomat, lecturer.

J. Adam Bede, Emil Seidel and Ng Poon Chew are the three men who make up tomorrow's program at Chautauqua. The management expects it to be as strong a program as any of the session.

Bede and Seidel will be on the afternoon program to debate the question of socialism. They have argued this question before audiences for several years and have made a reputation for it. Each is an ardent believer in his side of the subject, is well posted, and Mr. Bede formerly was a member of congress from Minnesota and Mr. Seidel recently was mayor of Milwaukee, elected on the Socialist ticket.

The debates are kept alive and full of interest because each man is always looking up and introducing some new point which the other must meet.

Ng Poon Chew, who will give the first of two lectures Saturday night, is prominent as one of the leading Chinese in this country. Coming from the high class Chinese, he was trained for the Taoist priesthood and given the best of Oriental education. Then he came to the United States, was converted to Christianity, went to school and studied for the ministry, but gave that up for journalism. He is editor of the largest Chinese paper in the country, interested in public works and closely associated with many government officials and prominent men.

Ng Poon Chew is lecturing to some of the largest Chautauquas in the United States this summer, and he has been secured for two addresses here.

THE "LITTLE MOTHER'S" TALK.

Maud Ballington Booth Tells of the Tragedies of Prison Life as She Has Seen Them.

No one who heard Maud Ballington Booth tell about "her boys" at Chautauqua yesterday could fail to understand why thousands of men in the prisons over the country call her "Little Mother." A beautiful woman, full of earnestness and zeal, whose work reflects its goodness in her face, she related to her audience some of the sorrows and tragedies of life she has found in her long work among the society's outcasts.

Mrs. Booth, at the beginning of her address, said she would not take time on such a hot afternoon to tell about her methods of work, but would simply tell the stories of some of the men she had met to show how they got into prison and how they were affected by such punishment. People who have been brought up in good homes, educated and cared for cannot understand why the other half break laws, cannot understand they are born with the curse of poverty, evil companionship and no advantages.

Mrs. Booth read a letter written to her last Easter by a young boy in Sing Sing prison. Except for three months, he had been behind bars since he was 13 years old. He had lost faith in any religion, but went to Sunday services because he liked to sing, he loved the beautiful and he said:

"I do not claim to be any good; I only claim to be lonesome."

She told of a convict in a Texas prison, a man who, when a boy of 13, had killed his drunken father because he could not stand it to see his mother and sisters ill treated. He had been given a 110-year sentence, and when Mrs. Booth secured his pardon, realizing that he was still a child in mind, she took him to her home for ex-prisoners in Chicago, where he had to be cared for.

Ordinarily it is not her work to secure pardons for prisoners, she said. Her purpose is threefold: First, to go into the prisons and work with the men, making them realize they must work out their own salvation; second, to help the prisoners return to a life among society, and, third, to help the wives, mothers and children of the prisoners.

Her stories of this last phase of her work were most pathetic, and one especially so. It was of a 3-year-old child who had been born in prison. He was taken by her to one of the homes for such children, and the impress of the prison was so strong upon this baby that when he was out of doors he would run as far as he could to see if he was really free. The moment he entered the house again he showed that he felt as if he were once more restrained.

With many other such stories, she showed how grave a thing it was for society to judge a man and take away his freedom, his hopes for the future and probably ruin his family.

TO GIVE "THE CRISIS" TONIGHT.

Alber's Octet in Civil War Story—Their Concerts Much Applauded by Audiences.

The concerts of Alber's Octet have won much applause from the audiences at Chautauqua here. Their work yesterday strengthened an already good program.

Tonight the entire program will be given by these singers and entertainers, several of them university students known to Maryville persons. Their program this evening will consist of an enactment in song and story of "The Crisis," a tale of the civil war.

"The Crisis" commemorates the anniversary of the battle of Gettysburg, and many of the old southern melodies and northern airs and "before the war" stories make up part of the program.

AMATEUR NIGHT TONIGHT.

Annual Performance of Local Celebrities in the Chautauqua Tent After Regular Program.

Tonight after the regular program of the evening the local aspirants of stage fame will give their annual performance in the chautauqua tent.

There will be quartets, solos, choruses, instrumental numbers, jokes and anything else that anybody thinks he can "get over" the "foots."

These amateur performances have always made fun for everybody who took part or attended and have generally brought rain. The management is hoping it will do the same tonight.

Chautauqua Notes.

Mrs. J. W. Houghtaling of Bolckow is a guest of her granddaughter, Miss Beulah McCoppin, at "Haven of Rest" camp.

A harp and guitar musicale was given last night at the Hum Drum club tent after the program in the big tent, which delighted all the neighboring campers.

Kenwood camp is entertaining a guest for the remainder of the week, who is Miss Nelle Fisher, living northwest of the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Epperson, living south of the city are guests at the camp of Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Kemp for the remainder of the week.

Miss Donna Nelle Lamar, Miss Cora Carver and Miss Lila Beaver of Elmo are guests of Kenwood camp, which has Miss Hazel Wallace for hostess.

The Camp Ford crowd entertained a number of guests yesterday which included Mrs. W. T. Long of Grant City, Mrs. Frank Hall, Miss Edna Wilson, Miss Elva Heflin and Miss Edna Moore of Parnell.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Cast were entertained yesterday for the day at "White Meadows," the camp of Lewis White and family.

Mrs. E. L. Ferritor and daughter were entertained yesterday at "Bow Knot Inn" camp, the guests of Mrs. Ferritor's niece, Miss Mabel Merri-gan of Clyde.

Returned to St. Joseph.

Miss Grace McAnulty of St. Joseph, who has been visiting Miss LaRue Kemp, Miss Alice Orcutt and other friends, returned to her home yesterday.

Andersons Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Anderson have returned from a visit at Chugwater, Wyo., with their son, John Anderson, and family.

WATER EACH NOON LIBAU BOMBARDED

WILL TRY TO INCREASE SERVICE BEGINNING TOMORROW.

WELL PUMP IS STARTED MAY ASK AN ARMISTICE

Car of Materials For Sandpoint System Is Here—Mains Yet to Come From Chicago.

Beginning tomorrow an effort will be made to turn on the city water three times a day. In addition to the morning and evening service now given it will be on from 11 o'clock in the morning until 1 o'clock in the afternoon.

The board of public works now thinks that there is no danger of the water giving out entirely, and believes that the increased service can be kept up.

The pumping of the well did not begin last night, as was expected, for the pipe line to the reservoir could not be laid as fast as was thought. The work was completed this morning and the pump is at work. This, together with the fact that the river supply gains each night what has been pumped out during the day, makes the situation better than it has been.

Yesterday afternoon most of the material for the sandpoint system arrived from Kansas City. The rest of it is being shipped from Chicago and St. Louis.

The 6-inch main is not in the shipment that arrived yesterday, but should be here in a day or two. With the equipment that is here, however, a few of the sandpoints could be put down and pumped if necessary without the use of the main.

The digging of the trenches for the main is far enough along to permit the laying of the pipe as soon as it arrives.

INJURED MEN IMPROVED.

Keller Regained Consciousness This Morning—Groves at Ensworth Hospital.

Francis Keller of Thomas, Okla., who was injured Wednesday night in an auto accident at Maitland, regained consciousness about 5 o'clock this morning and his physicians have some hope of his recovery. Keller's head was crushed and he is in a very critical condition.

Robert Groves, who was also injured in the accident, underwent an operation for the amputation of his foot at Ensworth hospital in St. Joseph Thursday morning, and reports of his condition today were favorable.

FIRE DESTROYS FRUIT TREES.

Sparks From Engine Start Bad Blaze in Frank Pasture.

Yesterday afternoon sparks from a Wabash engine set fire to the dry grass along the right of way north of the W. C. Frank pasture, and nothing but the quick work of a few men averted a bad fire, which would have destroyed several houses.

The blaze was noticed by Dr. D. C. Wilson, who was at home during the afternoon. He summoned Arch Frank and several other men and they fought the blaze for a couple of hours before it was quelled. The fire spread through the Frank and Wilson pastures. About twenty-four pear and apple trees in the W. C. Frank pasture, which were loaded with fruit, were scorched and ruined.

The Clearmont Chautauqua.

The Clearmont Chautauqua will open tomorrow, and the program for the first day will consist of a musical program by the Elaine Duncan company, and a lecture by Prof. Charles B. Rayhill, both afternoon and evening. The Chautauqua will close there next Thursday.

Is Ferdinand Townsend's Birthday.

Today is the twenty-eighth birthday of Ferdinand M. Townsend. Mr. Townsend was born in Maryville, and except for a few years in Denver, Col., he has lived here all his life. For several years he has been in the wholesale and retail grocery business with his father, E. L. Townsend.

Illinois Visitors Leave.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Heaton and little granddaughter, Eleanor Wareantz of Sciota, Ill., who have been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Heaton, left yesterday for Horton, Kan., to visit.

Visiting in Maryville.

Miss Helen Ardery of St. Joseph arrived in Maryville yesterday to visit Miss Anna Bainum and Miss Allie Jean Fraser.

LIBAU BOMBARDED

GERMAN FLEET SHELLS RUSSIAN SEAPORT FOR TWO HOURS.

MAY ASK AN ARMISTICE

English and French Warships and Montenegrin Mountain Batteries Damage Fortifications.

(By American Press.)

London, August 21.—The German fleet has bombarded Libau, Russia, and wrecked the harbor works at Hango.

The captain of a Swedish steamer which has just arrived from Libau tells of the bombardment of the Russian seaport by the German fleet. Fifteen women who were seated on a pile of lumber were killed by the explosion of a single shell. The bombardment continued for two hours and many buildings and bridges were destroyed.

London, August 21.—A dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph from Cetinje says that the English fleet, supported by the French warships and in conjunction with the Montenegrin batteries on Mount Lovchen, bombarded the Austrian fortifications at Cattaro Wednesday, greatly damaging them.

The correspondent adds that in one engagement between the Montenegrins and Austrians in Bosnia the latter sacrificed 200 men. The British information bureau has not received these reports.

Rome, August 21.—The cardinals may ask the powers for an armistice during the conclave, resultant upon the death of Pope Pius X.

TOWNSEND BUYS MERGEN LOT.

Property in Business District Changed Hands Yesterday—May Put Up Modern Building.

E. L. Townsend has just purchased from Peter Mergen the building and lot at the corner of Fifth and Main streets. The lot, which is just south of the postoffice, is 44x132 feet, and the purchase price for it and the small building on it was \$6,000.

Mr. Townsend said today that he has no plans for the immediate improvement of the property, but that it is his intention to erect some time in the future a modern business building there.

COTTON FOR FOOD.

Oil is Nutritive and is Already Used by Europeans in Large Quantities.

Grain crops and cattle crops are our main sources of food, and cotton crops for clothing, but there is also a great potential food supply in the cotton crop if we but understood how to unlock it.

European nations are finding out very rapidly how to make food of our cottonseed oil. France, Italy and other southern nations have always considered oil an essential article of diet. Olive oil is their native supply, but they have not learned the economy of exporting their olive oil at high prices and importing in its place American cottonseed oil, which is lower in price but not lower in nutritive value.

Germany, the Netherlands, and other northern countries, like ourselves, are not fond of eating pure oil, but need more butter than the cattle can produce, so they resort to artificial butter and have developed it to a high degree of palatability. The surprising statement is made that the principal countries of northern Europe are now making artificial butter ("margarin" they call it) to the extent of 580,000 tons per year, and the significant part of the story is that in 1913 they used as an ingredient over 200,000 barrels of cottonseed oil from America, and are planning for an increase in 1914.

By the recently discovered process of solidifying liquid oils, cottonseed oil is now beginning to compete with hard coconut oil, which sells at even higher prices than olive oil, and is becoming very popular as an ingredient of artificial butter.

Cottonseed oil has exactly ten times the nutritive value of beefsteak and costs only half as much. As the United States makes each year over three million barrels of refined cottonseed oil, it is worth while to study the various methods of making it acceptable as food.

Returns From Outing.

Miss Nelle Conrad arrived home yesterday noon from Reserve, Wis., where she was the guest of a party of friends at the Wiesno Angling club.

Business Visit in Maryville.

George Holbrook of Clearmont spent the day yesterday in this city looking after business matters.

PORTER IS NOT DEAD.

Negro Is in Moberly Hospital Recovering From Attack by Bandman Here Wednesday Night.

The porter on Wabash train No. 14, who was attacked by one of the members of Delano's band here Wednesday night is not dead. All day yesterday rumors said that he had died from the severe clubbing given him by his assailant.

At noon today Otho Robey, Wabash agent, said that the negro was in a hospital in Moberly and was recovering.

Mr. Robey also said that the brakeman whose hand was cut in the fight did not return on train No. 1 this morning, but he does not know that anything serious has developed from his injuries.

CRESTON'S WATER SUPPLY.

Iowa Town Has Three Months' Storage and Furnishes Other Towns With Water.

Creston, Ia., has been using more than 1,000,000 gallons of water a day all summer long, is furnishing water to other towns and to farmers and has enough left to last three months.

The city gets its supply from a large reservoir made by damming a gully in the hills so that a lake has been formed. The railroad engines ordinarily are supplied with more water there than is used for the city of Maryville, and because of the scarcity of water in other towns have been using more this summer.

The daily amount of water used in Creston is three times as much as is needed here.

INVITE YOUR FRIENDS HERE.

Commercial Club Has Ready to Distribute Invitations to the Home-Coming in October.

The Commercial club wants to make Maryville's home-coming a real one, not a little affair for the town people, but an event to which the former residents will return.

In order to do this and to let the people away from here know of it, the club has had printed invitations for the people of the town to send out. These invitations are neatly printed on cards and inclosed in envelopes. They were taken around to the stores and banks this morning, from which they may be obtained.

The Commercial club wants the people of Maryville to get these invitations and send them out to friends and former residents.

LETTER FROM PROF. NULL.

Son of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Null of This City Writes Description of Idaho.

Prof. Wilbur F. Null, a son of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Null of this city, who was formerly a teacher in Missouri Wesleyan college at Cameron, is now principal of the Idaho Industrial institute at Weiser, Idaho. He just recently went to Idaho, and in a letter to his parents has given some interesting description of conditions as he found them.

A part of the letter is as follows: The trees of this country are mostly what have been set out and are not very different from the ones growing in Missouri. A good many poplars can be seen as well as maples, water elms and others, and they are thrifty and of good size.

The fruit is varied, apples and prunes seem to be the favorite for commercial purposes. Prunes will be ready for packing about the 25th. Packing begins when the fruit is about ripe and affords a great deal of employment for girls who do most of the packing. The returns from prune orchards are large, in some cases being about \$500 per acre.

However, there is different stories about these things. One man said recently that he destroyed his prune orchard because it didn't pay. I will tell you an apple story as it was told to me. A man offered his place of 28 acres for sale a few years ago at \$25,000, it being all in orchard and all irrigated. He could not find a buyer and so kept the place until the apple crop was ripe and sold it on the trees for \$25,000, the same as he had offered to sell for.

It will be a great many years before the country is all developed, and in fact a great lot of it never will be developed.

Threshing has been in progress here for a few days, and the operation is just what you are used to, except that the grain is stacked and left lying any place convenient till they can get time to haul it either to market or to the bin. One crew put through 1,750 bushels of barley yesterday.

Prices for products in the grain line are not so high here as farther east. Live stock brings about the same here as in Missouri.

PLAN AUDITORIUM

CHAUTAUQUA DIRECTORS FAVOR PERMANENT BUILDINGS.

A FIXED DATE IS SET

Future Sessions Will Always Begin on Second Saturday in August—Three Directors Elected.

The whole spirit of the Chautauqua stockholders' meeting yesterday was for a still stronger and more permanently founded Chautauqua. Two proposals were made toward this end, one that a sum be raised for the erection of permanent buildings, and the other that a fixed time for the Chautauqua be set.

The proposals that a movement be started to build an auditorium and a women's rest room was given enthusiastic discussion by all the members present. Judge Ellison suggested a plan for raising the money.

He said that the Chautauqua is primarily a thing for the country people of the community and that they are the people who are making it go. Before anything else is done, then, he urged that clean, comfortable and well built rest rooms be provided for the women who attend Chautauqua, and that it be done before next summer. He said they not only deserved them, but it would tend to increase the attendance and number of campers.

But he also said he thought there was no reason why an auditorium could not be built, too. It would mean a saving of at least \$400 a year, the expense of putting up a tent, and with the convenience and safety it afforded would draw a larger attendance.

With the Chautauqua such an influence for good in the community, Mr. Ellison said he thought there surely ought to be 100 men in Polk township alone who could afford and would be willing to give \$100 to such a fund. He, himself, offered to give \$200 to start the fund, and offered his services and to pay all his own expenses in going over the township to help raise this money.

The idea that such buildings would do more than anything else to make the Chautauqua permanent and a success was agreed on and endorsed by all. A motion was passed that the president, Judge Ellison, appoint a committee to investigate the matter and formulate a plan for raising the money necessary to make the improvements.

P. O. Landon said that one of the banks of the city two years ago offered to give \$2,500 toward such a purpose if \$7,500 could be raised elsewhere, but nothing was done about it. The stockholders also voted to give the Chautauqua a fixed date, so that it will come at the same time each year, allowing the people to make their plans for the summer ahead of time. The time set for the beginning of each year's session is the second Saturday in August. This will make the opening day come not earlier than the eighth nor later than the fourteenth of the month.

The new members of the board of directors elected are Dean George H. Colbert, P. O. Landon and Fred Miller, the first to succeed Ed Wolfers, Jr., of Hopkins and the last two to succeed themselves.

The meeting expressed a vote of thanks to Fred Miller for his services in hauling free the water from his well to the grounds.

BLUE RIBBON WINNERS.

Horses Owned by Carver of Guilford Win Fair Prizes.

E. E. Carver of Guilford carried off two prizes with his horses entered at the Smithville county fair this week. Rex Sparkle, a 3-year-old saddle stallion won second in the 3-year-and-over class, and Rex Carver, a 2-year-old, won first in the 2-year class.

Announce Birth of Daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Jones, living southwest of the city, announce the birth of a daughter yesterday morning.

Bolckow Guest Here.

Miss Irene Dodds of Bolckow is visiting in Maryville, the guest of Miss Nelle Hudson.

P. L. Pence of Clearmont was in Maryville today looking after some business matters.

THE WEATHER

Generally fair tonight and Saturday; cooler tonight.

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Water Plant for the Junction.

The Burlington Junction Pool is agitating a water plant for Burlington Junction. In this work's issue *Water Junction* says: "There is one thing Burlington Junction needs just a little bit more than anything else. It is a system of water works. Our little city is woefully lacking in this respect, and what is worse, there is no concerted effort on the part of our people to make this very much needed improvement."

At Wilson's Anniversary.

M. D. Crabb of Grandchildren, N. D., returned to his home yesterday, after a month spent in Maryville taking eye treatment at the infirmary of Dr. D. C. Wilson.

Mrs. Sarah Miller of Carlton, Neb., arrived in Maryville this morning to take treatment at the Wilson infirmary for sciatic rheumatism. —Adv.

Guest at Uncle's Home.

Miss Marie Miller of Graham arrived in Maryville yesterday to visit Mr. and Mrs. William Seidel and family and attend the *Chauteauqua* for the remainder of the week.

Burned Man Injured.

Leslie Whitlock of Bolivar was injured this morning when he was thrown from the horse he was riding and received a broken arm.

Miss Ward Home.

Miss Kathleen Ward of Warke, who has been the guest of Miss Mildred Robinson for the past week, will leave for her home in the morning.

Home From Eastern Trip.

C. W. Yehle returned this morning from an eastern trip, during which he visited the wholesale markets to buy fall stock for the Alderman-Yehle Dry Goods company.

29th
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Wins?

SIR JOHN FRENCH.

English Field Marshal
N. W. Assis ing French
And Belian Troops.



Photo by American Press Association.

AUSTRIANS TAKE TOWN IN POLAND

Capture Miechow After Stiff
Fight With Cossacks.

London, Aug. 21.—A dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph company from Cracow says that Austrian troops have occupied the town of Miechow, Russia Poland, after a stiff fight with Cossacks.

The Austrians surprised a detachment of 1,000 Cossacks while they slept and succeeded in killing or wounding 400 of them. The Austrian casualties are given as 140.

QUEEN WILHELMINA.

Ruler of Holland, Who
Mobilizes Her Army to
Resist an Invasion.



Photo by American Press Association.

WOMEN OWE \$400

CLUBS STILL HAVE THAT MUCH
TO PAY REST ROOM DEBT.

NO FEE IS CHARGED

Federation Makes Statement Correcting
Erroneous Impressions—Asks
For Many Exhibits at Fair.

Since the rest rooms have been completed and opened some erroneous impressions about them have begun to spread over the county. One of these is that there is very little more expense connected with them, and another is that a fee is charged those who use them. To correct these impressions the following statement is made by the club women of Maryville:

"In order that the public may clearly understand the expenditures and liabilities connected with the rest rooms the City Federation of Women's Clubs wishes to make this statement.

"The Federation has obligated itself for the following amount to furnish and support the rest rooms for the ensuing year: Furniture, \$297.05; rugs, bedding and towels, \$48; toilet supplies, \$8.98; matron's salary, \$300. Total, \$563.95.

"Of this amount the Federation owes a little more than \$100. Many persons have the impression that all the furniture for the rooms was donated. This is a mistake. While our friends gave us several donations, for example, the lights, clock, water cooler, mirror and one rocker, the greater amount of the furnishings was bought by the Federation and is still to be paid for.

"Right here we wish to correct an impression that has gone abroad that an admission is charged to the rest rooms. The rooms are absolutely free, and the running expenses are guaranteed by the City Federation of Women's Clubs. This is why the Federation has undertaken to conduct the floral hall exhibits and restaurant at the county fair.

"The Federation regrets that it cannot offer larger prizes for the exhibits, but it asks the public to remember that the fair is now in its infancy and has not the amount of money at its command that it will have another year. The Federation calls upon the women of Nodaway county to be loyal. Bring in your exhibits, even though the prize offered be small. Remember you are not working to fill your pockets; you are working to help the rest rooms—your rest rooms.

"So far the brunt of this work has been done by the women of Maryville. Now is the opportunity for all the women of Nodaway county to co-operate. Bring in your exhibits, boost for the fair, do all in your power to make it a success, and next year, with the furniture all paid for and more money to command, the Federation, if it should again have charge of floral hall, will guarantee bigger and better prizes in every department.

"THE FEDERATION."

FRECKLES

Don't Hide Them With a Veil; Remove
Them With the Othine Pre-
scription.

This prescription for the removal of freckles was written by a prominent physician and is usually so successful in removing freckles and giving a clear, beautiful complexion that it is sold by druggists under guarantee to refund the money if it fails.

Don't hide your freckles under a veil; get an ounce of othine and remove them. Even the first few applications should show a wonderful improvement, some of the lighter freckles vanishing entirely.

Be sure to ask the druggist for the double strength othine; it is this that is sold on the money-back guarantee.

Guests From Skidmore.

Mrs. Harry Hobbitt and children of Skidmore are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Robey.

29th
of Aug.

PERFECT FITTING GLASSES

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test your eyes free and fit them
with the proper glasses. Prices
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Who
Wins?

Look Up! Look Up!

Look away up! That will be the cry all over the grounds of the Maryville fair on all of the days this year, as the fair association has especially engaged one of the aviators of the Moisant International company to present some of their most wonderful stunts on the Moisant company's fastest machine.

In securing the Moisant aviators for the Nodaway county fair it seems the committee has executed a master stroke of business.

The Moisant company are the largest operators in the lines of practical air navigation, have a factory at Hemstead Plains, L. I., where monoplane are turned out at the rate of five a week and shipped to all parts of the world to war departments of different countries. Adjoining the factory is the Moisant school of aviation, where an immense flying field, hangars, tutors and everything complete to educate licensed pilots of the air.

Some of the world's greatest aviators have been created at this school, such flyers as St. Croix Johnston, Senor Alvarez, Miss Matilda Moisant, Harriet Quimby and many others equally as famous are graduates of this institution. There is never a flyer of the Moisant aggregation but what must prove his ability before he goes in the air.

At the Maryville fair grounds this year will be seen no less a distinguished aviator than J. Hector Worden, who is a graduate licensed pilot of the Aeronautical clubs of France, Great Britain and the United States. This man is considered one of the most daring aviators on the Moisant staff and will present a series of unparalleled displays, spectacular and sensational stunts on each of the days of the Maryville fair. The start and finish will be made from the infield of the race track, directly in front of the grand stand, and these flights will be presented from 10 o'clock in the morning until 6 in the evening, with an entire change of program on each of the days. This great attraction, added to the other stellar features of the fair races, and the big premiums for exhibits, free acts and good shows, this should be the banner year for the Nodaway county fair.—Adv.

Returns From Maitland.

Miss Nelle Campbell returned last night from Maitland, where she had been the guest of her uncle, Robert Connor, and family for a few days.

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TONIGHT

8:00—"The Crisis" pictures in song and story of the Civil War
by Alber's Octette, a company of nine people.

TOMORROW

2:00—Prelude by Band.

2:30—Debate on Socialism by Adam Bede, Republican and
Anton Seidel, former mayor of Milwaukee, elected on
Socialist Ticket.

8:00—Prelude by Band.

8:30—Lecture, Dr. Ng Poon Chew, noted Chinese Diplomat.

SUNDAY—LAST DAY

Union Sunday School and Church services in morning,
Free to all.

2:00—Prelude by Band and H. B. Schuler Tenor Soloist.

2:30—Lecture, Dr. Ng Poon Chew.

8:00—Prelude.

8:30—Address by Judge Selden P. Spencer of St. Louis.

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